IDOC Employees Recognized for their Years of Service

Indianapolis, Indiana (August 25, 2009) – Today, twenty Indiana Department of Correction (IDOC) employees with thirty-five or forty years of service to the State of Indiana attended ceremonies honoring them for their dedication.

IDOC Commissioner Edwin G. Buss welcomed the honorees to the Indiana Government Center South for a reception with IDOC officials. Commissioner Buss greeted each employee and commended them all on their hard work for the Agency. Afterwards, the honorees attended a statewide reception at the Statehouse and met Governor Daniels.

"Congratulations on your achievements and for all of your years of service to the State of Indiana," Commissioner Buss told the honorees. "Corrections is an unpredictable profession with its daily challenges, and having seasoned, dedicated employees like you all helps make the rest of our staff better and more prepared."



Commissioner Buss (far left) and Chief of Staff Dan Ronay (far right) pose with the honorees.

Those honored for their years of service included:

Orville Harmon, Branchville (35 years)
Gloria Marrs, Chain O'Lakes (40 years)
Anthony Debes, Chain O'Lakes (35 years)
Ronald Vail, Central Office (40 years)
Zettie Cotton, Central Office (35 years)
John Pelsor, Henryville (35 years)
Linda Moris, Indiana State Prison (35 years)
Roy McGity, Indiana State Prison (35 years)
Patty Finn-Hill, Indianapolis Juvenile (35 years)
Lee Grace, Indianapolis Men's Re-entry (35 years)
Debra Day, Madison (35 years)
Susan Van Hoy, Pendleton (35 years)
Michael Eden, Pendleton (35 years)

Debbie Coy, Pendleton Juvenile (35 years)
Philip Slavens, Putnamville (40 years)
Danny Graham, Putnamville (35 years)
Richard Sabolick, Putnamville (35 years)
Ruth Fouty, Reception Diagnostic Center (35 years)
Catherine Wier, South Bend Juvenile (35 years)
Daniel Forker, Westville (35 years)